GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

PR&RD – Mission Antyodaya – Selection of Gram Panchayats to be taken up under Mission Antyodaya – Guidelines – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (PTS.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 28 Dated: 31-05-2017

Read the following:

1.From the Secretary, GoI., Ministry of Rural Development, N.D, D.O.No.P.16018/4/2016 – P&P (351050) dt.09.03.2017

2.From the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj Letter No..7430/CPR&RD/ H1/2017, dt:30.03.2017.

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O R D E R:

The Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India have informed of the implementation of Mission Antyodaya vide Lr. DO#P-16018/4/2016 –P&P(351050) of Secretary to Govt., Government of India , Ministry of Rural Development, Department of Rural Development. Mission Antyodaya is a partnership of Central and State /UT Governments to improve the wellbeing of One Crore households and 50,000 Gram Panchayats (GPs) by addressing all the dimensions of poverty through convergence action and saturation approach under existing schemes by 2nd October 2019 - Mahatma Gandhi's 150th Birth Anniversary and urged the states to own up the entire process for improving accountability, outcomes and convergence in making the select Gram Panchayats poverty free.

2. In this initiative, the State of Andhra Pradesh has been allotted 2,584 GPs under Mission Antyodaya. District wise allotment of GPs for selection has been indicated below:

Sl. No	District	No. of GPs
1	Anantapur	200
2	Chittoor	273
3	East Godavari	214
4	Guntur	202
5	Krishna	194
6	Kurnool	178
7	SPSR Nellore	188
8	Prakasam	206
9	Srikakulam	220
10	Visakhapatnam	185
11	Vizianagaram	184
12	West Godavari	182
13	YSR Kadapa	158
Total		2584

3. The District Collectors shall take up Mandal wise allotment of GPs for selection in such a way that each Mandal has at least 4-5 GPs selected under Mission Antyodaya .

4. In the reference 2nd read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development has submitted draft guidelines for effective implementation of the Mission Antyodaya based on the instructions of the

Government of India (GoI) vide D.O.No.P-16018/4/2016-P&P (351050) dt.09.03.2017.

5. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby issue the following guidelines, for selection of G.Ps and implementation under Mission Antyodaya;

I. Criteria for selection of Gram Panchayats under Mission Antyodaya :

The District Collectors shall identify the Gram Panchayats in consultation with the Mandal level Committee convened by the Mandal Parishad Development Officer at Mandal level in a transparent way duly considering the merits of Gram Panchayats based on following criteria :

The objective is to select Gram Panchayats which have demonstrated certain Best Practices , social capital or which are receiving special funds and attention under Government Programmes or special recognition by the Government, as per the following criteria:

i. ODF & SWM GPs
ii. DAY NRLM SHG GPs
iii. Mission Water Conservation GPs
iv. Sansad Adarsh Gram Yojana GPs
v. Rurban Cluster GPs
vi. Crime free/Dispute free GPs
vii. Award winning GPs
viii. Any other state selected GP for special coverage.

While selecting Gram Panchayats, it is important to ensure the Gram Panchayat's commitment towards becoming poverty free. The following 7 elements would be critical for ensuring Gram Panchayat commitment:

1. GP must resolve to become Poverty Free.
2. Gram Sabha must deliberate process.
3. SHGs must resolve with Micro Plan for every HH.
4. GPDP must be prepared in participatory way.
5. Identify HR and capacity institutions.
6. Demonstrate idealism – IEC activities.
7. GP commitment.

* Selection of Gram Panchayats to be completed within **30 days**

* It is important to develop a baseline of indicators for every Gram Panchayat so as to work towards the removal of deprivation and backwardness.

* It is also important that priority be assigned to these Gram Panchayats in all state funded schemes and central government schemes to ensure adequate investments for improvement.

II Interventions through Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP):

The District Collectors shall complete the process of selection of Gram Panchyats at the earliest to enable the interventions through Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP). It is also necessary that priority be

assigned to these Gram Panchayats in all Central/State Government schemes.

III Strategy for Development of GPs under Mission Antyodaya:

To improve the wellbeing of about 2584 Gram Panchayats in the State by addressing all the dimensions of poverty through convergent action and saturation approach by 2nd October, 2019, the following strategy shall be adopted for poverty free Gram Panchayats:

I. Family Development (Kutumba Vikasam)
II. Village Development (Grama Vikasam/Abhivruddhi)

I Family Development (Kutumba Vikasam) :

Assurance of minimum income of Rs. 10,000 per month per household through systematic interventions in convergence with various Central/State schemes

a. **Land Development**
   i. Soil & Moisture Conservation
      - Farm Ponds
      - Percolation Tanks
      - Desilting of MI Tanks
      - Check Dams
   ii. Vermi compost
   iii. Horticulture Plantations
   iv. Fodder Development
   v. NTR Jalasiri
   vi. Irrigation Facilities

b. Skill Development

➔ All unemployed families will be covered with atleast one person in the age group of 18 to 45 years for skill upgradation & getting gainful self employment through LIFE Project, Skill Development Mission, EGMM, DDUGKY, Partnership with Universities & Corporates, Development Corporations etc

c. Employment

➔ Wage employment of atleast 200-240 days to each household including wage employment under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act (MGNREGA) (100 -150 days) and other schemes
➔ Development of Micro Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs)/cottage industries/traditional industries
➔ Skill development and Bank linkage & Bank loans for diversified livelihood.

d. Livelihood promotions under various schemes sponsored by the Government in the following sectors:
   - Agriculture & Allied sectors development
   - Animal Husbandry
   - Fisheries development

II. Village Development (Gram Vikasam/Abhivruddhi)

1.Basic Indicators :

i. Drinking Water

a. Providing Potable Drinking water to all HHs
b.Access to Drinking water within 50 Mts to the HHs

ii.Sanitation

➔ **Individual :** All the Households in the GP shall have
a. IHHLs
b. Soak pits

➔ **Community**
a. Solid Waste Management
b. Liquid Waste Management
c. Institutional toilets

iii.Street Lighting –Providing LED Street lighting to all GPs

iv.Connectivity
a. Internal CC Roads
b. Approach Roads

v. Greenary - Homestead, Avenue & Institutional Plantations

2.Social Indicators :

i.Health
- ❑ Reduced expenditure on health due to better living conditions and environment
- ❑ Health protection, access to basic medicines & primary care.
- ❑ Improvement of facilities in Health Centers such as infrastructure, equipment, other diagnostic services
- ❑ Promoting institutional deliveries
- ❑ 100% immunization: Infants & Pregnant women fully immunized.

ii.Education
- ❑ 100% Child enrollment in schools and retention
- ❑ 0 % School dropouts
- ❑ Construction of School buildings/additional class rooms/toilet blocks
- ❑ Play Grounds

iii.Women & Child Welfare

- No Maternal and Infant deaths and hence no MMR/IMR
- Malnutrition free Children
- Anganwadi buildings, Drinking water and toilet blocks

iv.Infrastructure
- o Burial Grounds
- o Gram Panchayat Building with all amenities like drinking water, electricity, toilet blocks etc
- o Anganwadi buildings with all amenities

Institutional arrangements for implementation of Mission

Antyodaya:

- GP shall take lead role to secure convergence among all line departments and Community Based Organizations (CBOs) like Village Organisations, all Village level committees so as to achieve the targets under Mission Antyodaya.

- Self Help Groups (SHGs) and their federations shall take active role in plan preparation and implementation. They should utilize the PRI platforms such as Gram Panchayat, Gram Sabha and functional committees of the Gram Panchayat.

Measuring Poverty Free Panchayats/Households

- Baseline/Ranking of GPs on Development of simple easy to use indicators
- Data Validation – Praja Sadhikara survey/Smart Pulse Survey / SECC other surveys conducted by other departments.
- Self Help Group Women (SHG / Youth as Social Auditors.
- Universities, College Students as monitoring / survey partners – periodic independent assessment.
- Development of 10 Point scale – assured minimum level of well- being.
- Grading of Panchayats - Web based Panchayat Ranking to be developed shortly

TARGET 2019 – Mission Antyodaya

- Assured income of Rs. 10,000/- per month for every household in the 2,584 GPs
- All the households covered under Skills – LIFE, DDUGKY
- Individual livelihood support through Bank linkages
- Swachh Bharat Mission – IHHLs for all in 2,584 GPs.
- Solid and Liquid Waste Management in 2,584 GPs
- 2,584 Gram Panchayats Conserving Water – Drought Proof.
- All eligible habitations connected by all weather roads.
- Improved standard of living in all the 2,584 GPs with better health services, education , women and child welfare and malnutrition free Gram Panchayats

6. The Commissioner, PR&RD, A.P., shall take necessary action in the matter.

7. This order is available on the internet and can be accessed at the address http://www goir.ap.gov.in.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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